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REQUEST FOR TIME EXTENSION

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests to extend the period for filing a response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION Action mailed on December 9, 2003 from February 9, 2004 to May 9, 2004.

Payment in the amount of \$55.00 (Fee Code 2251) is included in the accompanying money order for extension pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(1). Applicant claims small entity status.

Respectfully,

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